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BY ECF

The Honorable Lewis J. Liman

Southern District of New York

United States District Judge

U.S. Department of Justice

United States Attorney Southern District of New York

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December 14, 2021

REQUEST GRANTED as to Jeremy Ortiz-Molina and Pedro Rosario Carrasquillo.

The Motion Hearing scheduled for December 16, 2021 is cancelled. Instead, a Status Conference is scheduled for January 13, 2022 at 3:00PM. The Court, with consent of all parties, excludes time from December 15, 2021 until January 13, 2022 pursuant to the Speedy Daniel Patrick Moynihan U.S. Courthouse Trial Act, 18 USC 3161(h)(7)(A), upon a finding that the interest of justice outweighs the interest of the public and the defendants in a speedy trial, in that the time between now and January 13 can be used by parties to finalize pretrial dispostions. 12/15/2021

United States v. Ortiz-Molina et al., 21 Cr. 173 (LJL) Re:

LEWIS J. LIMAN

Dear Judge Liman:

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At the request of Chambers, the Government respectfully submits this letter on behalf of the parties to request an approximately 30-day adjournment of the conference scheduled for December 16, 2021. The conference was originally scheduled as a potential hearing date for defense motions. No motions have been filed. Based on discussions with defense counsel, the Government understands that the remaining defendants—Jeremy Ortiz-Molina and Pedro Rosario Carrasquillo—intend to enter pretrial dispositions with the Government.¹ The parties anticipate advising the Court in the near term about scheduling plea hearings.

The Government respectfully requests the exclusion of time under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h), because the purpose of the adjournment is to permit the parties to finalize pretrial dispositions. The defense consents.

Respectfully submitted,

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CC (By ECF) All Counsel of Record

Counsel for Ortiz-Molina has already advised the Government that he intends to plead guilty pursuant to a plea agreement.